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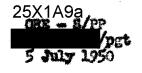
SUBJECT

- : Appraisal of Foreign Economic Intelligence Requirements, Panilities, and Arrangements Related to the Hational Security
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- : 1. Copy of memorandum for the Director of Central Intelligence from the Executive Secretary, MC, subject as above, dated 3 March 1950
  - 2. Specifications for a Survey of United States Communical Agencies Engaged in Foreign Economic Activities
- 1. Enclosure No. 1 is a copy of the National Security Council memorandum dated 3 March 1950, based on Nr.C Action No. 262, to the Director of Central Intelligence, requesting action for the coordination of the production of economic intelligence.
- 2. The initial development of foreign economic intelligence requirements, as specified in pursgraph la of Enclosure No. 1, is being undertaken within this Agency. Final action on this phase of the study will include full coordination with intelligence-uning and intelligenceproducting agencies.
- 3. There is attached heroto as Enclosure No. 2 a set of specifications for the conduct of a survey of Covernment facilities and arrangements required by peregraph 1b of Enclosure No. 1. It is requested that you errange for the conduct of such a curvey throughout your Department, Staff, or Board in accordance with the applicable portions of these specifications.

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- is. A similar survey of the other agencies of the Government that are engaged in foreign economic activities has been started by the Bureau of the Budget and will be completed in collaboration with the Central Intelligence Agency.
- 5. For the purpose of clearing up any questions which may arise in connection with undertaking this survey, a meeting of your designated representatives is called for 12 July 1950 at 2:30 p.m. in my conforence room, Administration Building, 2430 E Street, N. W.



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